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SUBJECT: USG-GON COMMUNICATIONS RE WEATHER MODIFICATION

REF: STATE 165838

1. DEPARTMENT'S ASSUMPTION (PARA 3 REFTL) IS CORRECT REGARDING NATURE AND MODE OUR RESPONSES TO 1972 REQUEST BY GON FOR WEATHER MODIFICATION. PRESIDENT DIORI'S LETTER OF AUG. 10, 1972 ACKNOWLEDGED FOLLOWING DAY BY CHARGE POWELL, ON BASIS STATE 157431. EMBASSY HELD UP WRITTEN RESPONSE. AMBASSADOR MCCLELLAND VERBALLY EXPLAINED TO PRESIDENT DIORI OCTOBER 25 REASONS WHY USG UNABLE ACCEDE TO GON REQUEST.

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2. KAZIENDE'S LETTER OF JULY 12, 1973 AGAIN ASKING FOR
WEATHER MODIFICATION WAS ANSWERED JULY 18. IN MY RESPONSE
I ALSO INFORMED HIM OF AMBASSADOR MCCLELLAND'S VERBAL REPLY
OF OCT. 25 TO PRESIDENT DIORI.

3. POUCHING COPIES OF POWELL LETTER AND MY LETTER OF
JULY 18. BUCHE UNQUOTE RUSH

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